

# **BEST LIVING ITY RESIDENT ANSWERS CALL**

Little, in Rock Island 75  
years, deceased at the home  
of daughter.

Nicholas Little, believed to have  
been the oldest remaining resident  
of Rock Island, died at 11 o'clock  
this morning at the home of his daughter,  
Mrs. George Weinberger, 715  
Fifteenth street. Mr. Little was  
in his 94th year. Death was due  
to an ailment which Mr. Little suffered  
about a week ago when he  
suffered a fractured hip.

When Mr. Little settled in this  
community he little dreamed that he  
would live to see rise upon the  
prairies of those days the present  
prosperous and populous city of  
Rock Island. He was 10 years of  
age when his parents located in the  
village of Farmington, which was  
the original name of the town that  
eventually became Rock Island.  
The family came from Paris,  
France, where Nicholas Little was  
born June 24, 1824. Farmington  
was a small settlement of farmers  
and traders where the Little family  
settled here from Europe. The  
houses were crude structures, but  
time brought about changes and im-  
provements, and in young manhood  
Nicholas learned the brick and  
stone mason's trade. In time he  
went into the contracting business  
and followed that line of work  
until his retirement 15  
years ago.

Mr. Little was married to Miss  
Lillian Ann Albert, March 22, 1855.  
In this city, where the couple had  
always made their home. Mrs. Lit-  
tle died Dec. 30, 1882. There are  
surviving five children, George Lit-  
tle, Mrs. D. E. Butler, Mrs. Little  
Olson and Mrs. George Weinberger,  
all of Rock Island, and Mrs. Frank  
Smith of Chicago; one sister, Miss  
Mary Little of Rock Island, who is  
90 years of age; 13 grandchildren  
and six great grandchildren. Four  
children and his wife preceded Mr.  
Little in death.

Funeral services will be held at  
the Weinberger residence Thursday  
afternoon at 2 o'clock, with Rev. F.  
J. Hill, pastor of the Evangelical  
Church of Peace, in charge. Interment  
will be in Chippewa cemetery. It is  
the wish of the family  
that friends omit flowers.

# **MRS. COX BEATS "JIMMY" TO IT**

Dayton, Nov. 2.—The vote cast  
by Mrs. Cox at today's election was  
not her first, she having lived in  
Illinois and voted at a state elec-  
tion a few years ago. In the vot-  
ing booth here she showed her  
knowledge of the old Australian  
ballot, marking up four different  
forms composing it, in two min-  
utes, and beating her husband by  
30 seconds.

A battery of cameras were cen-  
tered on Governor Cox at the polls  
and joining the line of voters, the  
governor remarked to an elderly  
woman:  
"There's a lot of excitement in  
Cincinnati today."  
"Yes, this town needs to be wak-  
ened up," was her rejoinder.  
After getting his ballot, No. 236,  
the governor found himself without  
a pencil, but many were offered  
him, and the one he borrowed was  
returned to the owner, who re-  
marked:  
"I'll keep this as a keepsake for  
the next president."

The candidate responded with a  
smile.  
Mrs. Cox's ballot was numbered  
235, showing that 234 voters had  
preceded her and her husband to  
the polls.

# **CONVENTION OF REXALL STORES IN DES MOINES**

Carl B. Burnside, manager of the  
Schlegel drug store in Rock Island,  
leaves for Des Moines tomorrow  
to attend the state convention of  
Rexall drug stores in Iowa. He  
will be on the program, being  
scheduled to deliver a talk on sales-  
manship.

**A Koupet Top**  
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**\$95.00**  
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**HORST & STRIETER CO.**

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**Koupet Top**  
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# **MAN HERE SINCE 1846 PASSES AWAY**



Nicholas Little.

# **J. W. STALLINGS IS FOUND DEAD**

Is Discovered by Roommate at 10  
O'clock This Morning  
in Bed.

John W. Stallings, aged 68 years,  
was found dead in bed at 10 o'clock  
this morning by his roommate, W.  
P. Tindall. The men roomed at  
223 1/2 Seventeenth street. At an  
inquest held this afternoon at the  
Hodgson undertaking parlors, a  
verdict of death due to heart trou-  
ble was returned.  
Stallings was up early this  
morning and was about when Tin-  
dall left the room. When Tindall  
returned at 10 o'clock in the morn-  
ing he found Stallings lying in bed  
dressed. He tried to arouse him  
and found he was dead.  
Stallings had no relatives here.  
His wife and two children were  
killed in the San Francisco earth-  
quake in 1906. The body is being  
held pending the finding of rela-  
tives.

# **LIBRARY ISSUES 13,326 BOOKS IN THE LAST MONTH**

Magazines and works to the num-  
ber of 11,550 were issued during the  
month of October at the Rock Is-  
land public library. The grand  
total of books, including reference,  
issued were 13,326. Fines received  
for the month amounted to \$35.85.  
The various books include maga-  
zines, philosophy, religion, sci-  
ence, fiction, history, biography and  
industrial arts, fine arts, literature,  
history, travel, biography and fic-  
tion. Circulation at the schools  
amounted to 2722, the West End  
settlement issuing 633 and the  
Washington branch 1001. Bills al-  
lowed for the month were \$1,241.27.

**AVIATORS BOMB KOVNO.**  
London, Nov. 2.—(Jewish Tele-  
graphic Agency.)—Bombs dropped  
by Polish aviators over the town  
of Vilkomir, 45 miles northeast of  
Kovno, Lithuania, have killed 16  
wounded a large number of persons,  
says a dispatch from Kovno today.

# **Wholesome, Body Building FOOD—for Everyone**

**MACARONI**  
The Best Macaroni  
Boils Tender in 5 Minutes

# **AMOO GROTTO BAND TO PLAY AT CEREMONY**

Venue Supper, Parade and Music  
to Feature Annual Fall  
Ceremonial.

Amoo Grotto has arranged for a  
big time tomorrow night, the occa-  
sion being the annual fall cere-  
monial. Amoo Grotto band will re-  
nder an excellent musical program.  
First on the program will be a ven-  
ue supper at 5 o'clock, followed  
by a parade at 7:30 and the cere-  
monial at 8 o'clock. The following  
is the musical program:  
March—"Shoulder to Shoulder"  
Overture—"Foot and Heel"  
(by request).....F. Von Suppe  
Humoresque.....Dvorak  
Spanish waltz—"Santiago".....Corbin  
Two songs:  
"Sweet and Low".....Van Alstons  
"Down the Trail to Home"  
"Sweet Home".....Ball  
A Twilight Romance—"After Sun-  
set".....Fryor  
"Rose of Washington Square"  
Hanley  
Finale—"Our Glorious Flag"  
Rosencrantz  
"The Star Spangled Banner".....

# **REV. BOWMAN IS NAMED ILLINOIS CITY MINISTER**

Rev. Otis L. Bowman of Lewis-  
town, Ill., has been appointed pas-  
tor of the Illinois City Methodist  
Episcopal church by Rev. John T.  
Jones, Rock Island district Meth-  
odist superintendent. Rev. Bowman  
will take charge of the new pasto-  
rate next Sunday. He will be the  
first pastor to occupy the new \$7,000  
parsonage just built.  
Rev. Mr. Bowman succeeds Rev.  
E. S. Busby, who has been trans-  
ferred to Crescent, Ill. He has al-  
ready taken his charge.

# **LEGION TO HOLD OPEN HOUSE FOR PUBLIC TONIGHT**

Everybody welcome at the Ameri-  
can legion headquarters tonight af-  
ter 9 o'clock. Special wire reports  
on the election will be received.  
Previous to throwing open the  
doors to the public, the legion will  
ballot on candidates for its own of-  
ficial personnel.

# **STUDENTS VOTE HARDING TO BE NEXT PRESIDENT**

Harding will carry Rock Island,  
that is if the Rock Island high  
school students are criterion. At  
a mock election held this morning  
Harding received 589 votes, com-  
pared to Cox's 101, Debs' 16, and  
Christianson's 29. The vote was

# **BAR COMMITTEE FROM OFFICES**

Landlord Attempts to "Lock Out"  
Democrats from Headquarters  
in New York.

New York, Nov. 2.—(United  
Press.)—An effort was made to  
"lock out" the Democratic national  
committee from its offices in the  
Grand Central Palace here today for  
alleged non-payment of rent ac-  
cording to a statement issued by the  
committee. The statement said the  
rent had been paid in full.  
"The Merchants' and Manufac-  
turers' Exchange of New York,  
which operates the Grand Central  
Palace, attempted to stop the en-  
tire machinery of the Democratic  
national committee by closing our  
doors this morning," the statement  
said.  
This high-handed outrage was  
utterly without excuse or warrant.  
The rent was paid to Nov. 1, 1920,  
as our lease provides and this  
morning \$3,000—the monthly rent  
provided in the lease—was tend-  
ered at the Grand Central Palace.  
They refused it.  
It was stated that the doors actu-  
ally had been locked against the  
committee for 15 minutes.

# **BOSTON'S CENSUS CON- TROVERSY**

Boston, Mass., Nov. 2.—Director  
of Census Rogers joined issue to-  
day with Mayor Peters of Boston,  
who in a letter to the census bu-  
reau asserted that the population  
of Boston was 801,675 instead of  
747,823, as announced by the bu-  
reau.  
Declaring that Mayor Peters "had  
drawn certain wrong inferences and  
had made certain miscalculations,"  
Director Rogers said that after a  
careful consideration of all avail-  
able data the census bureau was of  
the opinion that enumeration of  
Boston was substantially correct.

# **WILL GET NEWS AT PRISON**

Atlanta, Ga., Nov. 2.—Eugene V.  
Debs, Socialist nominee for presi-  
dent, in a final campaign statement  
said today:  
"I shall not be disappointed over  
the results of the election, as the  
people will get what they think  
they want, insofar as they think at  
all."  
Mr. Debs will receive election re-  
turns tonight in the federal prison  
tonight, where he is a prisoner.

Washington, Nov. 2.—Adjutant  
General Harris' offices announced  
that 17,625 enlistments in the regu-  
lar army broke all peace time re-  
cords for the month.

**Columbia**  
Junior  
Theatres  
Orpheum Circuit  
BIG NIGHT TONIGHT AT THE COLUMBIA  
SPECIAL ARRANGEMENTS FOR

# **ELECTION RETURNS**

Two Shows—7:30 and 9:15.  
NOW PLAYING THE SEASON'S VAUDEVILLE EVENT  
**THE FAMOUS  
SINGER MIDGETS**  
The Davenport Democrat says MIDGETS PROVE BEST ACT EVER  
OFFERED IN DAVENPORT  
The Daily Times Says: SINGER MIDGETS ARE A CIRCUS, A WILD  
WEST SHOW—A MUSICAL COMEDY AND ANIMAL SHOW.  
The Performance a Big Hit.  
EVERYBODY SAYS A WONDERFUL ENTERTAINMENT.  
DON'T MISS IT.  
Three Shows Every Day All Week—2:15—7:30 and 9:15. A Few Good  
seats left for all performances. Telephone 746 and 747.  
FOUR OTHER ORPHEUM BIG TIME ACTS ALSO ON THE BILL.  
These attending second show to-night may remain until midnight and  
get Election Returns.  
Change of Program Thursday with exception of Singer Midgets.

**BURTON THEATRE** 2 NIGHTS  
Tonight and Wednesday  
Company of Fifty  
**SONORA** Grand Opera  
Company  
L. Del Castillo  
Conductor  
Tonight "Il Trovatore"  
Wednesday Night "Cavalleria" and "Pagliacci"  
presented by  
Most Distinguished Array of Singing and Acting Artists Now on  
Tour  
PRICES 75c to \$2.50—Plus Tax  
**ELECTION RETURNS**  
READ FROM STAGE TUESDAY NIGHT

# **TO STUDY MUSIC APPRECIATION AT PUBLIC SCHOOLS**

Courses in music appreciation  
will be taught in all grades of  
Rock Island public schools, ac-  
cording to an announcement made  
by M. C. Fisher, city superintend-  
ent of schools. Mr. Fisher is urg-  
ing that the jazz and ragtime mu-  
sic be considered a feature which  
must be corrected in the education  
of the child.

E. L. Philbrook, music profes-  
sor, will be the director of the  
course. Victrolas will be brought  
into the various rooms as the study  
is given, and records put on and  
the story of the songs related. The  
idea is to make children more ap-  
preciative of good music.

# **ALBERT SIMPSON IS ARRESTED FOR WIFE DESERTION**

Albert Simpson was arrested to-  
day in Davenport for desertion pre-  
ferred by his wife, Mrs. Katherine  
Stephenson Simpson of Rock Is-  
land. He is being held in the Davenport city jail, pending furnishing  
of bonds. Mr. and Mrs. Simpson  
have been married only a few  
years. Mrs. Simpson is the daugh-  
ter of George Stephenson, manager  
of the Watch Tower park.

# **EAGLES TO EAT WHILE HEARING ELECTION NEWS**

Special Wino, Fish Fry, Games,  
Etc., at Clubrooms Sched-  
uled for Tonight.

The Fraternal Order of Eagles,  
956, of Rock Island will receive  
election returns over a private  
wire in connection with a grand  
party to be given to all members  
of the tri-cities. All are invited to  
attend.

Besides games to be played, in-  
cluding checkers, etc., there will  
be a "fish fry," which is expected  
to excel any menu previously serv-  
ed.

President E. C. Berry, with his  
organization, including the trus-  
tees, gave a spread to the mem-  
bers last Saturday night which met with  
the approval of the entire mem-  
bership present. Twenty geese,  
averaging over 14 pounds each, 100  
pounds of cauliflower, oyster dress-  
ing, and a number of other side  
dishes which help make a feed,  
were served.

# **MRS. THIELE DIES SIX WEEKS AFTER HUSBAND EXPIRES**

Six weeks after the death of her  
husband and only a few months  
after the celebration of their silver  
wedding anniversary, occurred the  
death of Mrs. Margaret Thiele, aged  
56 years, who died yesterday after-  
noon at her home, 533 Twenty-fifth  
street.

Mrs. Thiele had been ill only a  
few days, death resulting from gas-  
tritis. Her husband, Oswald F.  
Thiele, died Sept. 19. Mrs. Thiele  
(nee Margaret Doennecke) was  
born in Rock Island in 1864. She  
was married to Oswald Thiele in  
this city on July 5, 1895, the couple  
celebrating their silver wedding  
anniversary last July.

Surviving are a son Carl and a  
daughter Gertrude Thiele, both at  
home; two sisters, Mrs. Ella Lar-  
kin of Davenport and Mrs. George  
Gallup of Henry, Ill., and one  
brother, Anthony O'Connell of Davenport.

Funeral services will be held in  
the home at 10 o'clock Wednesday  
morning, conducted by Father C. E.  
O'Neill. Interment will be in Cal-  
vary cemetery. Omission of flow-  
ers is requested.

Dr. C. L. Silvis has returned to  
the city after a three weeks' business trip to Huron, S. D.

# **TWO BROTHERS FACE TRIAL ON MURDER CHARGE**

James and Dominick Lawrence  
Scheduled Before Judge Gorman  
Wednesday Morning

Dominick and James De Lawrence  
will be brought to trial in court  
tomorrow morning before Judge  
Emery C. Gorman on a charge  
of murder. The brothers are in-  
dicted for the murder of Angelo  
Frankville, who was shot in  
Moline last summer.

Clarence Schroeder is attorney  
for the defense.

# **CHARGES CRUEL TREATMENT IN DIVORCE CASE**

Charging infidelity and cruelty,  
Elizabeth Smith of Rock Island to-  
day filed suit for separate main-  
tenance from Leroy Smith in court.  
They were married Nov. 5,  
1909, in Silvis, and the complaint  
charges that she was compelled to  
leave her husband's home on Aug.  
13, 1920.

"THE STORE FOR EVERYBODY"  
**THE NEW YORK STORE** NEWS  
MOLINE BRADY-WAXENBERG CO. MOLINE  
**Women's and Children's Rain  
Coats and Capes**  
Now that winter is rapidly approaching and daily rains  
and sloppy weather will be a certainty, it is up to those  
who are wise in the care of their health to purchase  
a good, serviceable rain coat for protection. Wednes-  
day we are offering our entire stock of exceptionally  
good quality rain coats, children's rain coats and capes  
**20% Discount**  
You will find these coats for ladies well made and most  
any style and material you wish. We have many pleas-  
ing models of good quality children's rain capes with  
attached hoods to match.  
While the coats for the little ones have dandy little caps to  
match. Our prices are lower than elsewhere and with the ad-  
ditional 20 percent discount. It will pay you to buy here.  
(Rain Coat Section—Second Floor)

**Yard Goods Specials for  
Wednesday**  
43c Outing Flannels, a yard 29c.  
27-inch outings, an almost endless variety of patterns,  
pretty plaids, checks and stripes. Excellent quality, 29c.  
48c Pajama Cloth, yard 39c.  
Extra heavy quality, plain colors, checks and stripes, ex-  
cellent value, a yard 39c.  
27-inch Flannelettes, a yard 35c.  
Pretty floral designs for kimono, large variety of pat-  
terns to select from, a yard 35c.  
Toile-du-Nord, A. F. C. and Red Seal Ging-  
hams, a yard 39c.  
All new fall patterns, these are all brands of excellent  
quality, yard 39c.  
—Main Floor

**Corset Specials**  
WARNER'S RUST PROOF CORSET,  
made of pink coutil, back lace, some are  
summer low busts, medium skirt length.  
Some elastic tops. Sizes 20  
to 30. Up to \$3.00 values at... **\$1.98**  
Good light weight corset, topless with  
elastic belt made of batiste. Medium  
skirt and back lace, some are of pink  
coutil. Sizes 20 to 26. \$2.00  
value, special for Wednesday **\$1.39**  
BRASSIERES, made of good tricot,  
back fastening and will give good wear.  
Special Wednesday **39c**  
at...  
(Corset Section—Second Floor)

**A Few First Floor Specials**  
Ladies' pure thread silk fashioned hose, seamless foot,  
lisle top, slight imperfection; \$1.98 value **98c**  
special at...  
Men's fine lisle hose in assorted colors, **29c**  
all sizes, 49c value at...  
Ladies' fine cotton hose, black only, slight  
imperfections but well mended, 49c quality... **19c**  
Boys' heavy weight fleeced union suits, exceptionally  
good quality, priced according to size,  
at \$1.39, \$1.59 and... **\$1.79**

**Liquid Wax Oil Polish**  
The best polish for furniture, autos, pianos, leather  
goods, all woodwork, linoleums, etc.  
Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded.  
Extra large size, one quart, regular \$1.00 size... **69c**  
Large size, 12 ounces, regular 60c size... **39c**  
—Third Floor

**EXTRA SPECIAL!**  
**\$1.50 O'Cedar Polish Mop, 98c**  
These mops have advanced in price. But we  
have a few left at the old price that we are  
going to let our customers have at... **98c**  
a special price of...  
—Third Floor